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January 20, 2004

Mr. C. Lesley Addis
Manager - Regulatory Matters
BellSouth Telecommunications
1600 Williams Street
P.O. Drawer 752
Columbia, South Carolina 29202

In Re - Docket No. 1999-224-C: Application for Approval of a Seventh Amendment to an Interconnection Agreement between BellSouth Telecommunications and DSLnet Communications, LLC

Dear Mr. Addis:

Your request for approval of the Seventh Amendment to an Interconnection Agreement between BellSouth Telecommunications and DSLnet Communications, LLC was presented to the Commission for consideration during its Regular Business Session on January 13 2, 2004.

After consideration, the Commission approved this filing since it is consistent with the standards of Section 252 (a) (1) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 and since it is not discriminatory and is consistent with the public interest in that it promotes competition.

Consistent with previous Commission Orders, the Commission finds that the terms of this Agreement are not to be considered as a precedential standard for other agreements, nor are they binding on any other communications carrier.

Sincerely yours,

David S. Lacoste
Utilities Department

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REQUIRES MONITORING
OR STAFF ACTION _____**COMMISSION DIRECTIVE**

ADMINISTRATIVE DEPT. _____

DATE JANUARY 13, 2004

TRANSPORTATION DEPT. _____

DOCKET NO. 1999-224-CUTILITIES DEPT. XXX

ORDER NO. _____

SUBJECT:

DOCKET NO. 1999-224-C - Request for approval of a *Seventh Amendment* to an Interconnection Agreement that has been negotiated between BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") and DSLnet Communications, LLC; and filed pursuant to Sections 251, 252 and 271 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996. This amendment revises rates and terms concerning recurring power charges. The effective date of this amendment is October 28, 2003 and the agreement expires on December 18, 2004. DSLnet was certified to offer statewide local telecommunications services under Docket No. 1999-81-C.

COMMISSION ACTION:

Approve Negotiated Seventh Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement between BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. and DSLnet Communications, LLC.

APPROVED XPRESIDING CLYBURN

APPROVED STC 30 DAYS _____

ATKINS MOTION

ACCEPTED FOR FILING _____

CARRUTH YES

DENIED _____

CLYBURN YES

AMENDED _____

MITCHELL ABSENT

TRANSFERRED _____

MOSELEY YES

SUSPENDED _____

SAUNDERS YES

CANCELED _____

THEODORE YES

SET FOR HEARING _____

REGULAR SESSION X

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TIME OF SESSION 10:30 AMRECORDED BY J.McDaniel

Lacoste, David

ACCEPTED
12/30/03 gmb

From: Mattison, Jeanette [Jeanette.Mattison@BELLSOUTH.COM]
Sent: Thursday, December 18, 2003 11:25 AM
To: Lacoste, David
Subject: 1999-224-C 7th Amendment to Interconnection Agreement with DSLnet Communications, LLC

POSTED
12/30/03



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BELLSOUTH

1600 Williams Street, Suite 5200

Columbia, South Carolina 29201

December 18, 2003

Mr. David Lacoste
Public Service Commission of SC
Post Office Drawer 11649
Columbia, South Carolina 29211

Re: Seventh Amendment to Interconnection Agreement Negotiated by
BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. and DSLnet Communications, LLC
pursuant to Sections 251, 252 and 271 of the Telecommunications Act
of 1996
Docket No. 1999-224-C

Dear Mr. Lacoste:

Pursuant to Section 252(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. and DSLnet Communications, LLC submit to the South Carolina Public Service Commission their Seventh Amendment to their negotiated agreement for the interconnection of their networks.

The effective date of this amendment is October 28, 2003 and the agreement expires on December 18, 2004.

Very truly yours,

s/C. Lesley Addis

CLA/jbm
Enclosures

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**AMENDMENT
TO THE
AGREEMENT BETWEEN
DSLNET COMMUNICATIONS, LLC AND
BELL SOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.
DATED JANUARY 10, 2003**

Pursuant to this Amendment, (the "Amendment"), DSLnet Communications, LLC ("DSLnet") and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth"), hereinafter referred to collectively as the "Parties", hereby agree to amend that certain Interconnection Agreement between the Parties dated January 10, 2003 ("Agreement") shall be deemed effective from the date of the last signature.

WHEREAS, BellSouth and DSLnet entered into the Agreement on January 10, 2003, and;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual provisions contained herein and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereby covenant and agree as follows:

1. Attachment 4, Collocation, Section 7, is hereby amended to add new Sections 7.8.8-7.8.10 as follows:
 - 7.8.8 BellSouth will revise recurring power charges to reflect a power reduction upon BellSouth's receipt of the Power Reduction Form from DSLnet certifying the completion of the power reduction, including the removal of the power cabling by DSLnet's BellSouth Certified Supplier.
 - 7.8.9 If DSLnet desires to reduce the amount of power that it has requested from BellSouth, DSLnet must submit a Subsequent Application for this power reduction. If no other modifications to the Collocation Space are requested other than the reduction in power, the Power Reduction Only, Application fee, as set forth in Exhibit B will apply. If other modifications are requested in addition to the reduction of power, the Subsequent Application Fee will apply. BellSouth will bill the appropriate nonrecurring application fee on the date BellSouth provides an Application Response to DSLnet.
 - 7.8.10 In Alabama and Louisiana, if DSLnet is currently served from the BellSouth main power board and requests that its power be reconfigured to connect to a BellSouth BDFB in a specific central office, DSLnet must submit a Subsequent Application to BellSouth. A response to such application will be provided by BellSouth within seven (7) calendar days and no application fee will apply for the initial power reduction at each "BellSouth Premises" in which DSLnet is currently collocated.

2. The Parties agree that the Agreement between DSLnet and BellSouth is hereby amended to add to Attachment 4, Collocation, Exhibit D rates as set forth in Exhibit 1, attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference.
3. All of the other provisions of the Agreement, dated January 10, 2003, shall remain in full force and effect.
4. Either or both of the Parties are authorized to submit this Amendment to the respective state regulatory authorities for approval subject to Section 252(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996.

Signature Page

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this Amendment to be executed by their respective duly authorized representatives on the date indicated below.

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.**DSLnet Communications, LLC**

By: Pet C Fenick
Name: PATRICK C. FENICK
Title: Asst Director
Date: 10/28/03

By: Schula Hobbs
Name: Schula Hobbs
Title: SR. Mgr-Reg Affairs
Date: 10/27/03

Power Reduction Amendment

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Exhibit 1

COLLOCATION - South Carolina														
CATEGORY	RATE ELEMENTS	Interim	Zone	BCS	USOC	RATES (\$)				Svc Order Submitted Elec per LSR	Svc Order Submitted Manually per LSR	Attachment 4 Incremental Charge - Manual Svc Order vs. Electronic-1st	Exhibit B Incremental Charge - Manual Svc Order vs. Electronic-1st	Incremental Charge - Manual Svc Order vs. Electronic-1st
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PHYSICAL COLLOCATION														
	Physical Collocation - Power Reduction Only, Application Fee	I		CLO	PE1PR		400.33							